

Living in Lonesomehurst

Suburb May Have to Buy the Atlantic Ocean Before He Is Through

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EMPLOYMENT AGENCY? LISTEN! I'M QUITTING! MRS. SUBURB TO-DAY. MY DOCTOR TOLD ME TO BATHE IN SALT WATER TO REDUCE AND SUBURBS DON'T LIVE BY ANY SALT WATER. GET ME A JOB BY THE OCEAN



IF YOU COULD BATHE IN SALT WATER YOU'D STAY WITH US, EH, EMMY? DO I UNDERSTAND YOU CORRECTLY?

SURE! IT HELPS ME REDUCE



GENERAL CONTRACT WORK. ALL KINDS OUR SPECIALTY

DO I GET YOU RIGHT, SUBURB? YOU WANT A SWIMMING POOL IN YOUR YARD AND SALT WATER PIPED TO IT FROM THE OCEAN?

RIGHT! AND IT MUST BE DONE BY TOMORROW MORNING. HANG THE COST!



IT'S THREE HOURS TILL DAY LIGHT. CAN YOU FINISH THE JOB BY THEN?

SURE! THE SWIMMING POOL IS DUG. IN AN HOUR WE'LL BE PUMPING IT FULL OF OCEAN WATER, SUBURB



THE SUN'S COMING UP AND THE POOL'S ALMOST FULL. WELL, OUR MAID PROBLEM IS SOLVED. UM - I'M SLEEPY

SHUG-CHUG-CHUG



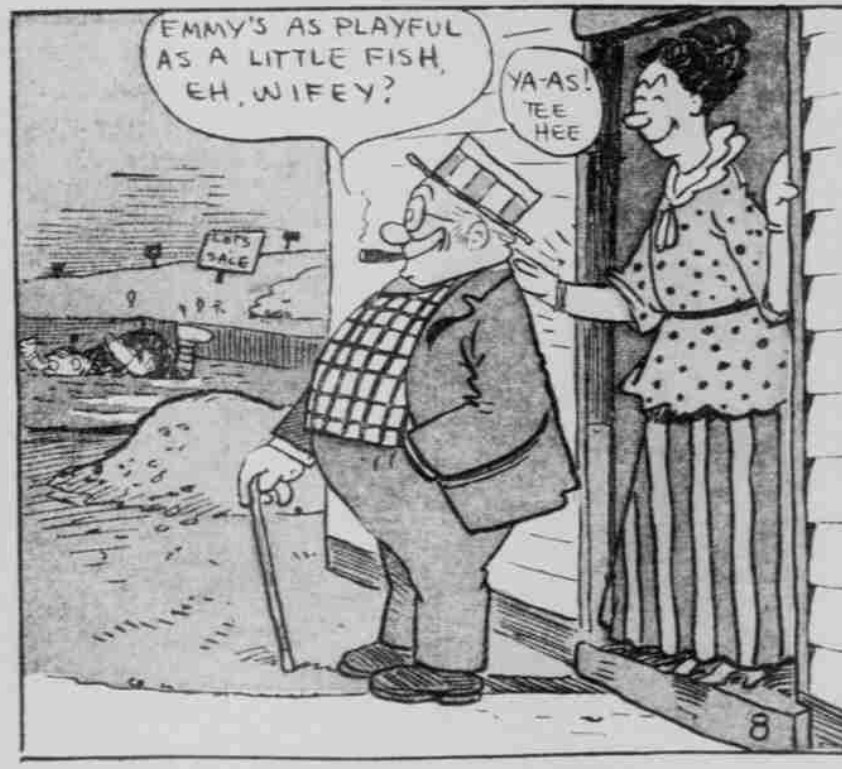
HOORAY, WIFEY! THE SWIMMING POOL'S READY FOR EMMY

OH, GREAT. I'LL TELL HER AND SHE CAN TAKE A PLUNGE BEFORE BREAKFAST



WHEE!

TEE HEE



EMMY'S AS PLAYFUL AS A LITTLE FISH, EH, WIFEY?

YA-AS! TEE HEE



SHE'LL LIKE IT OUT HERE NOW SINCE SHE CAN STEP FROM THE KITCHEN INTO THE SALT WATER. NO MORE MAID WORRIES!

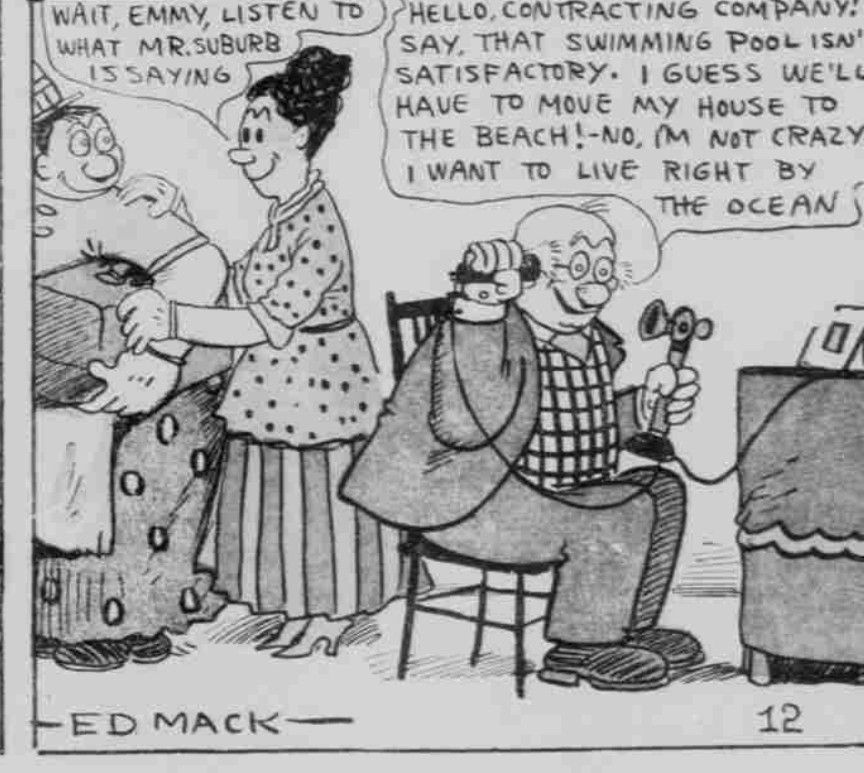


I HOPE EMMY COOKS HAM AND EGGS FOR BREAKFAST. I'VE BEEN UP ALL NIGHT AND I'M HUNGRY.



'YOU'RE LEAVING US, EMMY?

SURE! I CAN'T REDUCE IN THAT SWIMMING POOL. I GOT TO SWIM WHERE THERE'S BIG BREAKERS, THEN I CAN EXERCISE AN' REDUCE



WAIT, EMMY, LISTEN TO WHAT MR. SUBURB IS SAYING

HELLO, CONTRACTING COMPANY! SAY, THAT SWIMMING POOL ISN'T SATISFACTORY. I GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO MOVE MY HOUSE TO THE BEACH! - NO, I'M NOT CRAZY. I WANT TO LIVE RIGHT BY THE OCEAN

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